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Ms. Phillis Johnson-Ball
Environmental Comments, Finance Docket No. 34391
Case Control Unit, Surface Transportation Board
Section on Environmental Analysis
1925 K Street NW
Washington, DC 20423



Dear Ms. Johnson-Ball:

I am registering my opposition to the proposed plan by New England Transrail of New Jersey to build a rail-to-truck transfer station on the site of the former Olin Chemical site on Eames Street in Wilmington, Mass. The basis of this opposition is the generation of noise, the 18 wheeler truck traffic, unwanted emissions, and escape of contaminated material from this operation into our residential area in the towns of Woburn and Wilmington.

I trust you will take into consideration our well being and our pursuit of the peaceful enjoyment of our homes in this area when deliberating the authorization of this proposal.

Sincerely yours,

Charles M. Vaughn